

**Whereas**, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives enjoy a long, proud tradition of meeting their responsibilities to the citizens of this state while upholding the virtues represented by the "Glory of Missouri": Knowledge, Liberty, Equality, Law, Justice, Fraternity, Education, Progress, Honor, Truth, Virtue, Temperance, Enterprise, and Charity; and

**Whereas**, the "Glory of Missouri" virtues were engraved in the House Chamber of the State Capitol in the early 1920s under the direction of the Decorating Commission with the inscription: "All the foregoing human qualities bind into one theme, the Glory of Missouri because no people attain these virtues unless they are great."; and

**Whereas**, the "Glory of Missouri" Award was created to encourage the values held by the early leaders of Missouri and to recognize those standards as exemplified in our schools and communities by this state's young people who are the future of Missouri; and

**Whereas**, Haley Victoria Ray, a student at Rockwood South Middle School in Fenton, has been selected to receive the "Glory of Missouri" Award for her accomplishments in the area of EDUCATION as defined by Webster's dictionary in 1926: "The totality of the qualities acquired through individual instruction and social training, which further the happiness, efficiency and capacity for social service of the educated; the education of a people is measured by its ideals and principles."; and

**Whereas**, the daughter of Richard and Melissa Ray, Haley demonstrates tremendous ability in all aspects of academic endeavor and serves as a leader and role model for her peers through her achievements as president of both the Student Council and the National Junior Honor Society; and

**Whereas**, in addition to her overall scholastic success, Haley shows much interest in the arts and excels in the areas of both music and dance:

**Now, therefore, be it resolved** that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-first General Assembly, join unanimously in commending Haley Victoria Ray for her noteworthy achievements in the pursuit of EDUCATION and in congratulating her at this proud moment of well-deserved distinction; and

**Be it further resolved** that the Chief Clerk of the Missouri House of Representatives be instructed to prepare a properly inscribed copy of this resolution for Haley Victoria Ray, as a mark of our esteem for her.

Offered by \_\_\_\_\_  
Representative Rick Johnson  
District No. 90

I, Jim Kreider, Speaker of the House of Representatives,  
Ninety-first General Assembly, Second Regular Session, do  
certify that the above is a true and correct copy of House  
Resolution No. \_\_\_\_, adopted \_\_\_\_, 2002.

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Jim Kreider, Speaker

